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AMENDMENT TO LIQUOR LAW TO FURTHER REGULATE SALE

Liquor Men Throughout the State of Pennsylvania Are Greatly Agitated Over the Proposition.

The liquor men in Westmoreland county and throughout the state are just now interested in an amendment to the present liquor law governing the sale of liquors which has been prepared by R H Meloy, a well known attorney at the Washington county bar, and who also represents the Jerome Plummer Temperance fund This bill will be presented to the next legislature and a strong canvass is being made throughout the state for its passage, and it comes from good authority that the advocates are meeting with unexpected success So strong has the matter been agitated that alarm is felt in many places by the opponents of the bill. The passage of the bill will be strongly urged by many prominent Western Pennsylvania temperance advocates, and since it provides for a greatly increased revenue for the state it is believed it can be enacted into a law

The new measure will require the payment of a license fee by all agents of breweries, distilleries and wholesale houses who take orders to deliver goods sent them by the carload and wagon load lots without operating a licensed store. The present law permits the operation of these "curbstone" agencies It is contended that these agencies make sales oftimes in excess of those made at the regularly established wholesale houses and should be taxed as heavily as the present licensed establishments

The Jerome Plummer temperance fund as established in Washington county by the late Jerome Plummer, a wealthy miner and coal owner, who was active in temperance work. It is controlled by a board of trustees, and the interest on the entire fund, which amounts to about $3,000, is to be devoted to the "eradication of the liquor curse in Pennsylvania"

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ROGER BRO.

CELEBRATED THE FOURTH ANNIVERSARY.

Yesterday the employes of the rod department of the Pittsburg Steel Co's plant celebrated the fourth anniversary of the starting of that department. The occasion was marked by the closing down of work for a few minutes while cigars were passed among the men W. H. Wagoner, the boss roller, made a very appropriate speech to the boys, in which he expressed his appreciation of their loyal support. The rod mill of the Pittsburg Steel Co, at Monessen is one of the most complete in the world, and has broken the world's record in the way of production

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BELIEVE ANTON FRITZ IS STILL ALIVE

People of Monessen are Loathe to Credit Story That He is the Man Killed By Train in California.

The following dated Portland, Oregan, Dec., 3, was taken from last evening's issue of the Pittsburg Sun:

"Anton Fritz, who was killed yesterday at San Fernanda Cal., came to Portland from Monessen, Pa, less than a year ago, with $13,000. Fritz reported to the police about four months ago that his pocket had been picked of $9,000 by a woman whom he had undertaken to befriend. Later a private detective recovered $5,000 in Chicago and caused the arrest of a negro named Morgan, and a negress known as the "Candy Kid" at Salt Lake City. Nothing came of the arrest because Fritz's stories conflicted. At one time he would declare he had been robbed by the woman, and at another that his room had been robbed after the woman episode.

Fritz went to Los Angeles two weeks ago to visit a daughter. Fritz's attorney in this city says the man was unbalanced mentally."

People residing in Monessen who knew Fritz do not believe the above story, claiming that it has been circulated by Fritz for the purpose of deceiving the people in this community, whom the man buncoed out of about $20,000 before his departure for the West. Numerous stories have been circulated about here in order to deceive. Once he was robbed by an actress of $9,000, and another time he had gone to Alaska, and another time he had committed suicide. The fact is "Old Fritz" as he was commonly called still leaves regardless of the specials from Oregon.

Met With Painful Accident.

John Neth, the former messenger here met with a painful, although not a serious accident while at work on a coal tipple near Arnold City late this morning His left foot was run over by a heavily loaded car, crushing two toes. It is not thought that amputation will be necessary as his foot escaped being fairly caught by the wheel The attending physician stated this afternoon that Neth would in all probability be able to resume work in a few days.

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PARNELLA BROTHERS HEAVILY FINED

Arraigned Before Mayor Shutterly This Morning on a Charge of Disorderly Conduct.—Result of Sunday's Trouble

Tom and Frank Parnella, two local Italians, were arraigned before Mayor Shutterly this morning on a charge of disorderly conduct. They were each fined $10 and costs. Marion Pauleo, against whom a like charge had been lodged, failed to appear and forfeited $15

It seems that on Sunday the local Italian political society met and elected a new president in place of Pauleo. Pauleo, it is claimed, in company with the Parnella brothers, went to the Italian hall while the meeting was in session and being refused admittance, forced the door open. A pitched battle followed in which several shots were fired and several of the participants were considerably used up from the effects of coming in contack with fists, chairs and other missiles.

Action was brought against the Parnellas by the supporters of the new president before Squire Watkins and the Parnellas brought a counter suit before Squire Shuster against the other faction, but both suits were finally withdrawn.

The case resulted in the three men who caused the disturbance being arraigned before Mayor Shutterly on a charge of disorderly conduct. The case aroused no end of interest among the Italian residents of town.

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IMPEACHMENT PROCEEDINGS BEGAN AGAINST BURGESS GNISER

Petition Signed by Residents Charges Unbecoming Conduct. Developments Promise to be Quite Interesting.

The trouble among the authorities of McMahon Boro., has come to a climax with the circulating of a petition asking for the impeachment of Burgess Gniser. The petition is said to have been signed by quite a number of the residents. In it is set forth a number of charges alleging unbecoming conduct. The matter will be taken before court at once.

The impeachment proceedings are directly due to the recent trouble which followed a meeting of council, and in which councilmen, burgess and citizens were mixed up, although there has been no end of contention among the authorities ever since the present officials were elected to office. As a result of the last trouble, as readers of the Independent will remember, three cases are now pending in court, one in which Burgess Gniser charges Alexander, Lafe and Thomas McMahon with assault and battery. A counter suit by Lafe McMahon against Gniser on a similar charge, and also one against Councilman Ball. Taken altogether public affairs in McMahon Boro., are in a decidedly topsy-turvy condition, however, developments in the impeachment proceedings will be watched for with interest.

WAS TENDERED A KITCHEN SHOWER

It was a gala assembly that gathered at the home of Mr and Mrs George Nash last evening, the occasion being a kitchen shower in honor of Miss Bertha Mossioux, whose marriage to Mr. Fred Miller, also of this city, will take place Dec 19 The affair was carefully planned by friends of the young couple and came as a complete surprise.

The guests numbered about thirty-five and an unusually pleasant evening was spent Games and both vocal and instrumental music furnished the evening's amusement. Many useful and valuable presents were bestowed upon the young couple by their friends. Following an elegant lunch which was daintily served, the guests departed for their homes, wishing Mr and Mrs Nash and the young couple many happy returns for an evening enjoyably spent.

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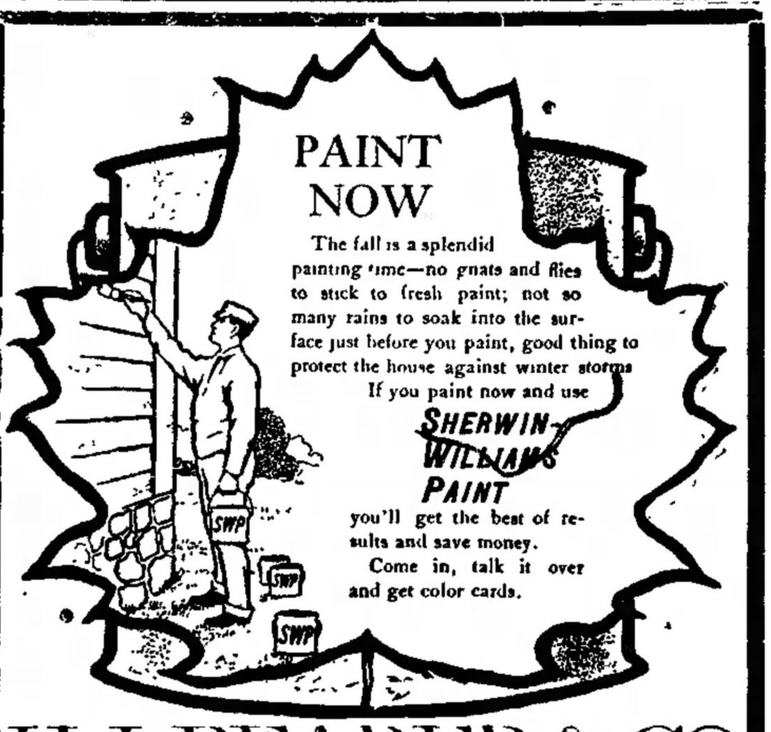

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THERE are fourteen editors in the new Missouri legislature. Fourteen editors ought to be able to show Missouri anything.

IT is to be hoped that the "poor white labor slaves" who are now imprisoned in the large cities of the East, will find a way to go South and West where splendid opportunities are offered both skilled and unskilled labor. It is strange so many people are willing to live like serfs in the large cities, when they could be "American citizens" in the South and West, where labor is so earnestly sought.

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Somewhere.

"Pardon me, madame. I think I have seen you somewhere."

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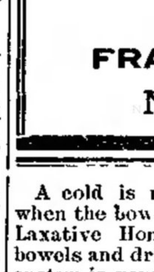

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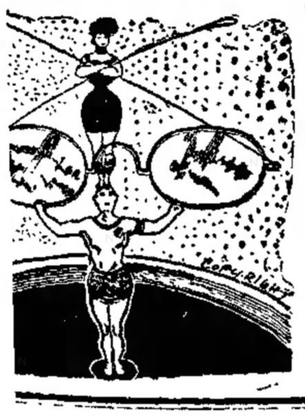

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THE STORY OF LIGHT

EARLY SCONCES AND LANTERNS, CANDLESTICKS AND LAMPS.

Tragic Incident of the Ancient Custom of Carrying Flambeaux at Festivals—Origin of the Phrase, "Holding a Candle to You."

There was a panic of a curious origin about the beginning of the eleventh century. It was widely believed that the year 1000 would witness the end of the world, and this superstition caused a very general stagnation of industry and commerce. Such panics have occurred at irregular intervals ever since, the last one being within the memory of the present generation and inspired by Mother Shipton's prophecy:

The world to an end shall come
In eighteen hundred eighty-one.

However, as soon as people became convinced that the world was not really going to come to an end in the year 1000, they resumed their work and play, and the making of lamps and candlesticks, like other manufactures, entered upon an era of prosperity. Monasteries were famous schools for this work, as for all other forms of handicraft, and paid peculiar attention to the beautifying of lamps and candlesticks because of their usefulness in church services. During the eleventh century Dinant, in Belgium, became famous for its copper work, and some of the most beautiful chandeliers of this period were made there. At about this time the "couronne des lumieres," or circle of lights hung from the ceiling, became a common device for lighting a church, and some of these are exquisite works of art.

In this period, too, various devices for improving and shielding the light came into use. Our ancestors were very practical people, and if some of their utensils appear to us somewhat singular it is because we do not understand the purpose for which they were used. It is rare indeed to find any cumbersome addition to a lamp or candlestick which has not its use. The old time silversmiths and copper workers did not spend their strength on mere decoration.

The sconce and the lantern were in general use throughout the middle ages. The sconce was a light covered and guarded from the wind, lifted down by a handle, and distinct from the lantern, serving somewhat the same purpose, but hung by a chain.

Lanterns in the thirteenth century were made of gold, silver, copper or iron, according to the means of the owner. The light in them was shielded from the wind by thin sheets of horn. Lantern making was an important industry in Paris.

At this time, too, noblemen and rich merchants took to having luxurious little traveling equipments made for them, and among these were traveling candlesticks and wash basins in this fine enameled work, the secret of which is now lost.

The custom of having servants carry flambeaux at festivals also became general about this time, and a strange and tragic incident is connected with this fashion. At a ball given by Charles VI. the torches carried by some careless servants came too near the headdresses of certain persons dressed as savages and set them on fire. The unfortunate guests were burned to death, and the king at the sight lost his reason, a madness which had a serious effect on the history of France.

Magic lanterns were invented in the time of King Francis I. A device on a somewhat similar plan was used as a sign before shop doors to attract custom.

Lamps fell into disfavor at the beginning of the seventeenth century and were used only by the poor and in passages and stables where the smoke could evaporate and a great deal of light was needed. Candles had then reached their perfection and candlesticks their most exquisite form. A candlestick of crystal given by Louis XIV. to La Valliere is still in existence, and it was at this time also that the crystal pendants came into fashion.

Street illumination was not seriously attempted in Paris until about the middle of the seventeenth century. In the first years of that notable century the streets of Paris were dark. The rich were escorted by lackeys bearing torches, the middle class folk picked their way, lantern in hand, while the poor slid along, feeling their way by the walls. In his edict of September, 1667, the king provided that candles inclosed in a cage of glass should be hung by cords at the height of the first story of the house, three lanterns for every street, one at each end and one in the middle. At the sound of a bell, struck by a watchman, they were lighted.

Paris was, however, considerably in advance of other cities of the world at this time. In London link boys stood about in public places calling out in lugubrious tones, "Gentlemen, a light!"

The origin of the phrase "holding the candle to you" is somewhat doubtful, but some authorities trace it to the fact that, as the small light stand had not yet been devised, any one who desired to read in bed had to have a servant stand beside him to hold the candle. One cannot imagine that reading in bed under these circumstances would be very enjoyable, certainly not to one who had been accustomed to solitude and a gas jet easily turned on or off, but there is everything in habit.—Gas Logic.

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An Ordinance.

An Ordinance establishing grades for portions of the following streets of the Borough of Monessen, County of Westmoreland, and State of Pennsylvania.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Borough of Monessen and is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same.

SECTION 1. That the grade of Oneida Street between Schoonmaker Avenue and Reed Avenue is hereby fixed and established as follows: Beginning at the south curb line of Schoonmaker Avenue at an elevation of 773 05 feet, thence on a rise of 11 735 feet per 100 feet, a distance of 285 feet to the north curb line of McKee Avenue at an elevation of 815 feet; thence on a rise of 1 78 per 100 feet a distance of 28 feet to an elevation of 815 50 feet; thence on a rise of 19 feet per 100 feet, a distance of 287 feet to an elevation of 870 03 feet, said point being the north curb line of Reed Avenue.

SECTION 2 That the grade of McKee Avenue from Oneida Street to Rostraver Street is hereby fixed and established as follows; Beginning at the center of Oneida street at an elevation of 815 25 feet, thence on a rise of 1.25 feet per 100 feet, a distance of 300 feet to an elevation of 819 feet, thence on a fall of 5 77 feet per 100 feet, a distance of 95 feet to an elevation of 813 52; thence on a fall of 2.52 per 100 feet, a distance of 44 feet to an elevation of 812 41 feet; thence on a rise of 5.87 feet per 100 feet, a distance of 121 feet to an elevation of 819 51 feet; thence on a rise of 5.183 feet per 100 feet a distance of 240 feet to an elevation of 832.67 feet; thence on a fall of one foot per 100 feet, a distance of 117 feet to an elevation of 831.50 feet; thence on a level grade, a distance of 28 feet; thence on a rise of 5 263 feet per 100 feet, a distance of 285 feet to an elevation of 846 50 feet; thence on a fall of 4 34 feet per 100 feet, a distance of 80.47 feet to an elevation of 843 feet, said point being the east curb line of Rostraver Street.

SECTION 3. That the grade of McKee Avenue between Sixth Street and McKee Way is hereby fixed and established as follows: — Beginning at the west curb line of Sixth Street at an elevation of 878 feet, thence on a rise of 2 348 feet per 100 feet, a distance of 215 feet to an elevation of 889.50 feet, thence on a fall of 1 883 feet per 100 feet a distance of 170 feet to an elevation of 886.30 feet; thence on a fall of 0.60 feet per 100 feet, a distance of 300 feet to an elevation of 884.50 feet, thence on a fall of 3.40 feet per 100 feet, a distance of 279.50 feet to an elevation of 875 feet; said point being east curb line of McKee Way.

SECTION 4. That the grade of Second Street between Donner Avenue and Schoonmaker Avenue is hereby fixed and established as follows:—Beginning at the south property line of Donner avenue at an elevation of 853.32 feet; thence on a rise of 9.69 feet per 100 feet a distance of 210 feet to an elevation of 773.68 feet said point being the north property line of Schoonmaker Avenue.

SECTION 5. That the grade of Ninth Street between Donner Avenue and Schoonmaker Avenue is hereby fixed and established as follows:—Beginning at the south property line of Donner Avenue at an elevation of 762 25 feet, thence on a rise of 7.045 feet per 100 feet, a distance of 110 feet, to an elevation of 770 feet, thence on a rise of 11.78 feet per 100 feet, a distance of 100 feet to an elevation of 781.78 feet, said point being the north property line of Schoonmaker Avenue.

SECTION 6 That the grade of Tenth Street from Donner avenue to Schoonmaker Avenue is hereby fixed and established as follows:—Beginning at the south property line of Donner avenue at an elevation of 762 19 feet, thence on a rise of 6 25 feet per 100 feet, a distance of 181 41 feet to an elevation of 773.53 feet, said point being the north property line of Schoonmaker Avenue.

SECTION 7. All ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting with this ordinance be, and the same are, hereby repealed, so far as the same affect this ordinance or any part thereof.

Ordained and enacted this 24th day of Sept. A. D. 1906.

Attest:
D. McMAHON,
Borough Clerk.

Approved this—— day of ——— A. D 1906.
F. H. SHUTTERLY,
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Max Manebach was a passenger on the morning train to Pittsburg.

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Meyer Miller returned to his home in Pittsburg, this morning, after spending a few days in town with his wife.

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Dr. F. P. Cook left for Philadelphia, this morning, to attend the annual session of the Grand Lodge of Masons.

Friday evening's game in the local bowling league resulted in the East Ends taking two games out of three from the Capitols.

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Owing to the great demand for Ping Pong Photos we have decided to remain for one month longer. 36 5t

Miss Anna McPherson, of Janavitz's Millinery store, returned last evening from her home in Monongahela, where she spent a few days with her parents.

Chas. R. McCabe has secured a position as chemist with the Carnegie Steel Co, at Donora. He will begin his new duties tomorrow.

Manager Lee Vaughn, has about completed arrangements for a game of basket ball to be played at the rink Friday between the local and Monongahela fives.

We have for sale 20 shares Monessen Savings & Trust company stock. The owners have instructed us to ask for an offer on same. Newcomer & Wolf.

H. J. Nale returned last evening from Morgantown, W. Va., where himself and family has been visiting with friends. Mrs. Nale and children will remain about a week longer.

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Thomas Cowan, the Schoonmaker avenue photographer, went to Pittsburg today on business.

Born— Friday, Nov. 30, 1906. To Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Paquet, residing in the Brockmont building, Schoonmaker avenue, a bright and bouncing baby girl. Ernest is a Pittsburg Steel employe, and responded to the congratulations of his many friends by passing around several boxes of fine cigars. Mother and child are getting along nicely.

AT THE THEATRE

This well known and successful comedy is to be seen at the Monessen Opera House Wednesday Dec. 5 and lovers of fun, music and melody will have their expectations filled to the utmost. "The Arrival of Kitty" contains a laugh in every line and every performance of this ratching comedy success, goes off with a snap and a bang and is as joyous and inspiring as a Fourth of July celebration No musical production in recent years has attained such immense popularity, and it is the only one among the few really brilliant comedy successes to receive the unanimous critical approbation of the New York press. The cast is a large one. The production is most magnificently staged and gorgeously gowned. Music that is tuneful, songs that are catchy and original.

That much discussed play, "The Proud Prince," will be an early attraction at the Monessen Opera House. This is the piece in which Mr. E H. Sothern appeared last season, and which the eminent tragedian Mr. Porter J. White is using for his vehicle this year. The play is by Justin Huntley McCarthy and the plot concerns the doings of Robert The Bad of Sicily and his sensational reformation. Nixon&Zimmerman are directing Mr. White's tour this season and have surrounded him with a company, and production in keeping with his abilities.

Charleroi Lad Accidently Shot.

John Barthole, a Charleroi lad, aged 17 years, was accidently shot in the stomach Saturday at noon by the discharge of a gun which was lying on a counter, in the Brunswick shooting gallery, at the corner of Sixth street and McKean avenue. He was taken to the Monongahela hospital, where it was stated he would recover.

Fatal Fall in Mine Shaft.

Edward Lance, 28 years old, while preparing a cage at Hazel Kirk mine No. 2, Saturday night, lost his balance and fell 175 feet to the bottom of the mine shaft, dying instantly. He was unmarried, and lived at Murdocksville, Pa.

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Boys Found Missing Man's Corpse.

Some boys playing in Roberts Hollow, a few miles from West Newton, discovered the lifeless body of William Saunders, a well known resident of West Newton. The man had been dead for some time and death was evidently due to exposure and exhaustion. The case was reported to the coroner who will investigate the matter. Saunders had been missing for some time and although search had been made for him no trace of his whereabouts could be found until the boys stumbled across his dead body yesterday,

Monessen Man Killed at McKeesport.

Paul F. Praul, a rigger, employed in one of the mills of this city, was struck by a train on the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad Sunday at McKeesport and so badly injured that he died several hours later.

STAR THEATRE WAS PACKED LAST NIGHT

Judging from the crowds which packed the Star Theatre at each performance last evening, the giving away of the handsome rocker which was announced in Saturday's issue of the Independent, will prove a great drawing card during the week. In all over 800 admissions were paid at this popular little playhouse last night, probably the largest number that has ever attended on a Monday night since it was opened.

There has been no end of enthusiasm aroused among the patrons of the "Star" by the rocker contest. The bill last night was well received. Miss Helen Trerville made a decided hit. She is the possessor of a sweet, musical voice and her work was appreciated.

Koehler & Marion also pleased the patrons immensely in an unusually good musical comedy act. A good motion picture completes the program which will undergo a complete change Thursday evening.

Donora Wants a Library.

A number of the citizens of Donora are of the opinion that a Carnegie library could be secured for the town and a movement in that direction may be launched in the near future. The proposition of Mr. Carnegie for placing libraries in towns is very well known. To secure one it would be necessary to secure a subscription list of those who would agree to donate so much to the fund at the start and agree to pay so much into the treasury yearly to bear the running expenses of the institution. Parties interested are looking into the matter.

Meeting of Ben Hurs.

All members of the local Tribe of Ben Hur are reminded of this being the regular meeting night, and as about fifty new members will be taken into full membership, a full turnout is anticipated. All members be sure to come.

MRS. CARRIE MILLER

Bazaar and Supper

The Ladies Aid Society of Bethany Baptist church will hold their annual bazaar on next Saturday. An attractive line of hand made fancy and useful articles, made by members of the society and their friends, will be on sale afternoon and evening. A chicken and biscuit supper will be served from 5 to 10 p.m. The ladies are enthusiastic over the prospect of an unusually successful outcome of their venture. Nearly two hundred supper tickets are now sold and generous provision is being made for all patrons

Food Commissioner's Report.

The Minnesota Dairy and Food Commission's analysis shows that Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar and Bee's Laxative Honey and Tar contained opiates and croton oil. Opiates are poisons and croton oil is a violent poisonous purgative. Refuse to accept any but Foley's Honey and Tar in yellow package. Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates or dangerous drugs and is the best cough and cold cure.

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Xmas.

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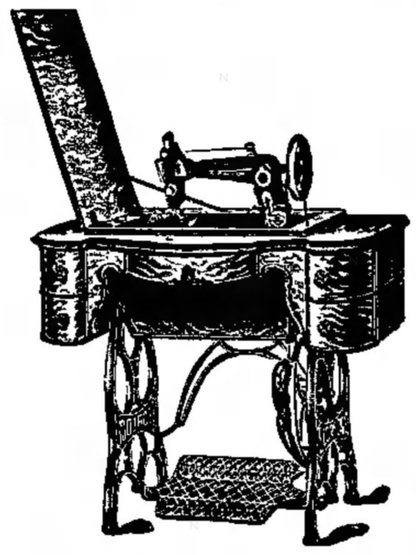

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Coroner's Jury Exonerates Grim.

M. D. Grim, who was arrested on a charge of felonious shooting in connection with the death of Alonza M. Thorp, the Youngwood railroader, was exonerated Friday, by a coroner's jury. Grim was subsequently released from the county jail.

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